

The Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost  
August 8, 2021  
FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH  
106 8TH STREET, MADISON, MINNESOTA  
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“Moving forward in faith by providing spiritual and physical nourishment  
to all God’s people.”

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*I will listen to what the Lord God is saying. (Ps. 85:8)*

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*\*Indicates to please stand as you are able*

**GATHERING** “God is So Good”, “How Great is Our God”

**BELL**

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**\*CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS** ✝

**\*OPENING HYMN** “10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)”

**GREETING** p.203

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Let us pray.

**O God, from you come all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments; and also that we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may live in peace and quietness, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

**FIRST READING:** Amos 7:7-15

**PSALM** 34:1-8 (on sheet)

**SECOND READING:** Ephesians 1:3-14

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION** p.205

**\*GOSPEL:** Mark 6:14-29

The Holy Gospel according to Mark the 6th chapter...

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

The Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

**SERMON**

**\*HYMN OF DAY** "All Who hunger, Gather Gladly #461"

**APOSTLES' CREED** p.104

**PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION** *Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.***

**SHARING OF GOD'S PEACE**

**OFFERING** "Rain Down"

**\*OFFERING PRAYER**

**GREAT THANKSGIVING** p.206-207

**PREFACE**

**WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**\*LORD'S PRAYER** (sung)

**COMMUNION**

## **SONGS OF DISTRIBUTION**

"Jesus, Lamb of God" (2x)

"That We May Be Filled"

"O Let the Son of God Enfold You" (Spirit Song)

## **\*PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

## **\*BLESSING**

**\*SENDING HYMN** "We Receive Your Blessing" (2x)

## **\*DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. You are the body of Christ.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **POSTLUDE**

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## Today's Worship Assistants

**Worship Leader:** Pastor Ron Nichols

**Music Director:** Linda Anderson

**Office Manager:** Jessica Borstad

**Reader:** Contemporary

**Video/Audio:** Tech Team

**Usher Team:** Team #5

**Acolytes:** Mackenzie Call & Kylee Asfeld

**Communion:** Jodi Kallhoff,

***Please also hold these concerns in your prayers, today and throughout the week. Contact the church office at 598-3630 to add or remove a person.***

**CARE CENTER RESIDENTS:** Ken Beyer, Lil Lyng, Gayle Weber, Betty Peterson, Annabell Engebretson, Don Husby, Ramona Niven, Marlene Johnson, Carlyle Larsen, and Gary McFarland.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Dave Ludvigson, Alice Johnson, Skip Blahosky, Sammi Summerland, Darlene Kranz, & Jeff Mortenson.



### Readings for Aug. 15

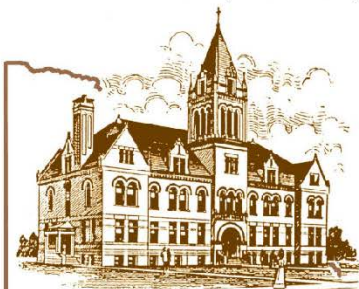
Proverbs 9:1-6

Psalms 34:9-14

Ephesians 5:15-20

John 6:51-58

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# PSALM 34:1-8

*Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; let us exalt his name together.*

**I will bless the Lord at all times,  
Raise to God my voice.**

*I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me out of all my terror.*

**Let the humble seek his favor  
And rejoice.**

*Look upon him and be radiant, and let not your faces be ashamed.*

**I will bless the Lord at all times,  
Raise to God my voice.**

*I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me and saved me from all my troubles.*

**Let the troubled seek his favor  
And rejoice.**

*The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, and he will deliver them.*

**I will bless the Lord at all times,  
Raise to God my voice.**

*Taste and see that the Lord is good; happy are they who trust in him.*

**Let the faithful seek his favor  
And rejoice.**



**GATHERING: “God is So Good”**  
God is so good, God is so good,  
God is so good  
He’s so good to me.

**He cares for me, He cares for me,  
He cares for me  
He’s so good to me.**

**I praise His name. I praise His name.  
I praise His name,  
He’s so good to me.  
(public domain)**

**“Come and Go With Me”**  
Come and go with me  
To my Father’s house,  
To my Father’s house,  
To my Father’s house.  
Come and go with me  
To my Father’s house,  
Where there’s joy, joy, joy!

**We will praise the Lord  
In my Father’s house  
In my Father’s house  
In my Father’s house.  
We will praise the Lord  
In my Father’s house  
Where there’s joy, joy, joy!  
(arr. Charles High, c.1978 Word of God Music, admin. The Copyright Company #846627)**

**“How Great is Our God”**  
The splendor of the King,  
Clothed in majesty;  
Let all the earth rejoice,  
Let all the earth rejoice.  
He wraps himself in light,  
And darkness tries to hide,  
And trembles at his voice,  
And trembles at his voice.

**REFRAIN: How great is our God!**  
**Sing with me;**  
**How great is our God!**  
**And all will see how great,**  
**How great is our God!**

**From age to age he stands**  
**And time is in his hands;**  
**Beginning and the end,**  
**Beginning and the end.**  
**The godhead, three in one,**  
**Father, Spirit, Son,**  
**The lion and the lamb,**  
**The lion and the lamb. REFRAIN**  
**(Tomlin,Reeves,Cash, c. 2004 worshiptogether.com songs; #846627)**

**“10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)”**  
**REFRAIN: Bless the Lord, O my soul,**  
**O my soul.**  
**Worship His holy name**  
**Sing like never before,**  
**O my soul.**  
**I'll worship Your holy name.**

**The sun comes up,**  
**It's a new day dawning.**  
**It's time to sing Your song again**  
**Whatever may pass,**  
**And whatever lies before me,**  
**Let me be singing**  
**When the evening comes. REFRAIN**

**You're rich in love**  
**And You're slow to anger.**  
**Your name is great**  
**And Your heart is kind.**  
**For all Your goodness,**  
**I will keep on singing,**  
**Ten thousand reasons**  
**For my heart to find. REFRAIN**

**And on that day**  
**When my strength is failing,**



The ends draws near  
And my time has come,  
Still my soul will sing  
Your praise unending,  
Ten thousand years  
And then forevermore. REFRAIN

(Jonas Myrin and Matt Redman, c.2011 Shout!Publishing #846627)

“Rain Down”

REFRAIN: Rain down, rain down  
Rain down your love on your people.  
Rain down, rain down  
Rain down your love,  
God of life.

Faithful and true  
Is the word of our God  
All of God’s works  
Are so worthy of trust.  
God’s mercy falls  
On the just and the right;  
Full of God’s love  
Is the earth. REFRAIN

We who revere  
And find hope in our God  
Live in the kindness  
And joy of God’s wing.  
God will protect us  
From darkness and death;  
God will not leave  
Us to starve. REFRAIN

God of creation  
We long for your truth  
You are the water  
Of life for our thirst.  
Grant that your love  
And your peace touch our hearts.  
All of our hope lies in you. REFRAIN

(James Cortez; arr John Carter; c. 1992 Jaime Cortez, Admin OCP Pub. #846627)



**Lift your hands in sweet  
Surrender to His name.  
O give Him all your tears and sadness,  
Give Him all your years of pain,  
And you'll enter into life  
In Jesus' name. REFRAIN  
(John Wimber, c.1979 Mercy Pub. #846627)**

**“We Receive Your Blessing” (2x)  
We receive your blessing  
We receive your grace,  
As we walk in the light  
Shining from your face.  
May the peace that you give  
Change the way that we live  
We receive your blessing  
As we leave this place.**

**Praise God  
From whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him,  
All creatures here below.  
Praise Him above,  
You heavenly hosts,  
Praise Father, Son,  
And praise the Holy Ghost.  
(Grace and Natasha Moes c.2003UnityMusicMinistres. #846627)**

**“Jesus, Lamb of God” (2x)**

**Jesus, lamb of God:**

**Have mercy on us.**

**Jesus bearer of our sins:**

**Have mercy on us.**

**Jesus redeemer of the world:**

**Give us your peace.**

**(text John Ylvisaker, c. 1980. Used with permission)**

**“That We May Be Filled”**

**Not as we ought**

**But as we are able,**

**We offer our thanks**

**As we come to your table.**

**Through Word and Spirit**

**Bless us;**

**Through bread and wine**

**Refresh us**

**That we may be filled,**

**That we may be filled**

**With love.**

**(Handt Hanson and Paul Murakami, c. 1991 Changing Church, Inc. #846627)**

**“O Let the Son of God Enfold You “(Spirit Song)**

**O let the Son of God enfold you**

**With His Spirit and His love,**

**Let Him fill your life**

**And satisfy your soul;**

**O let Him have the things**

**That hold you**

**And His Spirit, like a dove,**

**Will descend upon your life**

**And make you whole.**

**REFRAIN: Jesus, O Jesus,**

**Come and fill Your lambs**

**Jesus, O Jesus,**

**Come and fill Your lambs.**

**O come and sing**

**The song of gladness**

**As your hearts are**

**Filled with joy.**



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